

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: C. Keith Attorney Docket No.: 125474
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Seattle, Washington 98101

December 24, 2009

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 24, 2009, applicant submits herewith a replacement "AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS" section for consideration in connection with applicant's Supplemental Amendment dated August 21, 2009.

Remarks are provided beginning on page 9 of this paper.

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